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October 26, 1999

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
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Mr. Harold Davis
525 West Arrowhead Trail
P.O. Box 488
Spanish Fork, Utah 84660

Re: Status of Small Mining Permit and Transfer Form, Buffer #1-4, S/027/044, Millard County, Utah

Dear Mr. Davis:

As you are aware, during its 1998 session, the Utah State Legislature authorized the Division to collect permit fees on all new and existing permits. Small mining notices were assessed a \$100.00 annual fee and a billing notice for your Buffer #1-4 project was sent to you in June of 1998, which was due by July 31, 1998. On August 17, 1998, the Division received your request to inspect this site and close the file. Due to the number of requests made, the Division was unable to inspect your site until April 23, 1999. At that time, we found there was still disturbance at your site and in May, you were notified that your request to close the file was denied and the 1998 permit fee was due.

Another billing was sent on June 30, 1999 for \$200.00 for the annual fee for 1998 and 1999 years. On July 6, 1999 your secretary called and said you had informed her to notify us that you were no longer associated with these claims, but that Bryon Ray had taken them over. On July 12, 1999 we again received your request to have the Division inspect and close the file. As there is disturbance associated with the site, we are unable to close this file.

Enclosed is a Transfer of Notice of Intention for Small Mining Operations, which will have to be completed by you as the current operator and then signed and notarized by Mr. Ray as the new operator assuming all responsibility for the site. Until we receive the completed transfer form, you are still being held as the party responsible for the disturbance associated with this permit. Either you or Mr. Ray will have to pay the \$200.00 permit fee for this project. Another billing statement is enclosed for payment.

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Your prompt attention to this matter is appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this letter, please contact me at (801) 538-5321 or my supervisor D. Wayne Hedberg at 538-5286.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tom Munson".

Tom Munson
Senior Reclamation Specialist

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Enclosure: Transfer form, billing statement
cc: Bryon Ray
Wayne Hedberg, DOGM
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